

PEARL Rules

POLITENESS

Demonstrate *politeness* to one another and to the adults in charge:

- Use respectful titles to adults in authority (e.g. "Yes, Sir", "Yes, Ma'am")
- "Love your neighbor as yourself." (Matthew 22:39)
- "Be kind and compassionate to one another." (Ephesians 4:32)
- "Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others." (Phillippians 2:4)

EXAMPLE

Set a good *example* for others:

- Follow general school rules.(e.g. no running or talking in the halls.)
- "In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." (Matthew 5:16)
- "For it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purposes." (Philippians 2:13)

ATTITUDE

Have a good, positive, cooperative attitude:

- "Make my joy complete by being one in spirit and purpose." (Philippians 2:2)
- "Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus." (Philippians 2:5)

RESPECT

Show respect to adults and your classmates:

- Raise hands to talk in the classroom unless permission is given to speak at random.
- "Show proper respect to everyone." (1 Peter 2:17)
- "Honor one another above yourselves." (Romans 12:10)

LISTEN

Pay attention and *listen* to instructions and adults in charge:

- Follow requests the **first time**.
- "My dear brothers, take note of this: everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to become angry." (James: 1:19)